

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 995

By McDonald

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Kindle Shea Williams,
2012 Salutatorian of White House High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Kindle Shea Williams is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2012 graduating class at White House High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Williams has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Kindle has earned an exemplary grade point average, while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including serving as the Senior Class President, Fellowship of Christian Athletes Co-President, Beta President, National Honor Society Vice-President, NEHS Vice-President, Secretary of the Speech Team, Pep Club Leader, and member of the Drama Club, Future Business Leaders of America, Health Occupations Students of America, and the Lady Devils soccer team; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to honors and accolades, Ms. Kindle Williams was a Duke TIP participant, TECA Youth Leadership Summit Representative, Tennessee Governor's School for Science and Engineering participant, Nashville Sertoma Club Essay Contest Winner, Beaman Automotive Scholar Athlete, Wendy's High School Heisman School Winner, Presidential Scholar Candidate, National Merit Scholar, Comcast Leader and Achiever, National Beta Scholar, and Elks Foundation Most Valuable Student Finalist; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Williams's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at the University of Alabama, where she plans to major in Chemical and Biological Engineering; and

WHEREAS, Kindle Williams's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Jim and Eileen Williams, her family, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Williams's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2012 White House High School Salutatorian, Kindle Shea Williams, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.